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Is it as good as the Daisy?  
All high grade pianos at Burhop's piano sale.

Some splendid bargains in pianos at Burhop's piano sale. w1-d1

Buy a sack of Pollock's Daisy Flour and you will use no other.

Interest paid on all deposits at the North Missouri Trust Co.

Visit the piano sale at Burhop's Saturday, Monday and Tuesday. w1-d1

Miss Kate Varcoe is visiting Miss Kate Varcoe in Kirksville.

The Wm. Pollock Mill & Elev. Co. pay top prices for all kinds of grain.

One in and learn the Indemnities offered you by the North Missouri Trust Company.

Miss Ora Donaldson, of St. Louis, is the guest of Mrs. August Weber, of this city.

If prices and quality are any object, we can interest you. d2-wt

SOUTH SIDE HARDWARE STORE

Mrs. H. H. Meyers has returned home after a delightful two months visit in Wisconsin and Indiana.

SEED RYE FOR SALE

In any quantity desired

Wm. Pollock Mill & Elev. Co.

Go to the Windsor Hotel for your meals. The best table and cooking guaranteed. Sunday dinner a specialty. d2-wt

Bunters Sifters, 7c

35-lb. Bleached Table Linen, 20c

35-lb. Turkey Red Table Cloth, 20c

Screen Door, pair spring hinges, 45c

FREDENDALL & WILKINS.

A number of well known Audrain and Mexico people were in Fulton to day attending the stock sales.

You are offered every accommodation consistent with good banking and your business is solicited by the

NORTH MO. TRUST CO.

Miss Marie Reynolds, after several weeks' visit with Mrs. C. H. Carpenter, has returned to her home in Wellsville.

Farm and dairy for sale. 168 acres two miles from Mexico, well improved. Will sell farm alone or all together. d2-wt

WARREN HEDGES.

Mr. and Mrs. May Offutt left Sunday for a visit in Louisiana and Quincy, and before their return she will be the guest of relatives at Lewistown, Mo., for about three weeks.

Plenty of Coal, 70 Bushel.

Plenty of coal at the McGuire & Carr coal mine, southeast of Benton City, at 7c per bushel, cash. 21-22

Misses Byrd Locke and Alma Williams will entertain their Sunday School Class Tuesday afternoon at Miss Locke's home.

For Sale.

30 acres of land, all in cultivation, two miles from Mexico. Well fenced, good buildings. Price \$500 an acre. Apply at Lexington office. d2-wt

FREDENDALL & WILKINS.

A young man named Wheeler, of Kansas City, alleges he was held up and robbed in the outskirts of Mexico Friday night.

We are still grinding half old wheat off you by a sack of Pollock's Flour you need not be afraid of its going in the "sweat" at baking time.

Base Ball at Mexico Sunday, August 13. BEVIER vs. MEXICO. The hottest game of the season.

Interest allowed on savings accounts at rate of 3 per cent per annum if left six months or over.

NORTH MISSOURI TRUST CO.

The Chase-Lister (southern) repair company band and orchestra passed through this city to-day en route to Fulton where they open the Pratt theater's preliminary season.

We are now able to give the best trade on harness that was ever offered to the public. We have them and are willing to sell them.

SOUTH SIDE HARDWARE STORE

Bob Brown, who recently sold his general merchandise business at Thompson to J. E. Jesse, of this city, is now with George Hatcher, the grocer, in this city.

1 doz nice Jelly Glasses, 17c

3-qt. Granite Pudding Pan, First, 25c

6-qt. Granite Preserving Kettle, First, 25c

7-qt. Granite Dish Pans, First, 25c

FREDENDALL & WILKINS

JOE PRICE NO BETTER.

Was Caught Under a House, Which He Was Moving, Last Monday Afternoon and Seriously Injured.

While moving a house belonging to W. T. Cornett, on East Promenade street, late Monday afternoon, Joseph Price was caught under the building and seriously injured. His left leg was broken near the thigh, his face and body cut, and his body crushed and bruised, beside being hurt internally.

Mr. Price was under the house for some purpose or other, when a roller came way and the structure fell, pinning him to the ground. He never lost consciousness, but directed the work of his release, and when rescued was taken immediately to his home on West Monroe street, where medical aid was summoned.

Mr. Price's condition to-day is practically unchanged.

Regular Teachers' Examination.

The regular August examination for teachers' certificates will be held at Mexico on Friday and Saturday, August 25th and 26th, and examinations begin each day at 8 a. m. The following will be the order of examinations and all should govern themselves accordingly.

Friday forenoon—Geography grammar and algebra.

Friday afternoon—Spelling, language, arithmetic and literature.

Saturday forenoon—Reading, civics, government, U. S. history, agriculture, physical geography and physics.

Saturday afternoon—Physiology, pedagogy, ancient history, modern history and English history.

Since there will be no other examination this year, all who expect to teach should attend this examination.

If there is any doubt about former grades being in force, teachers should come and take examinations again.

Most respectfully,  
J. N. CHASE,  
J. L. SNOOK,  
R. W. MOORE,  
Members of Board of Education.

Canada-Stowers.

G. R. Canada, of Port Arthur, Tex., and Miss Ella Stowers, of this city, were married Sunday morning at 10 o'clock at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stowers, in northwest Mexico.

The wedding was a quiet home affair, with only the relatives and immediate friends present, the ceremony being performed by Rev. A. W. Koken-dorfer.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stowers, a charming young woman of many accomplishments and very popular.

The groom, Mr. Canada, was formerly a Mexico boy, and is a young business man highly respected both here among his old friends and in Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Canada will leave Tuesday night for Port Arthur, Texas, and the congratulations and best wishes of the community and their friends here follow them to their new home.

Advertised Letters.

List of letters remaining in the Post Office at Mexico, Mo., for the week ending August 10, 1905, which if not called for in thirty days will be sent to the dead letter office at Washington. Persons calling for letters in this list will please say "advertised":

Buttner, Dr. H. W. F.

Brown, Mrs. Maggie

Bloom, Lydia

Crooks, C. V.

Duncan, (Gideon Wilson), R. E.

Evans, W. H.

Fox, Lydia

Greer, Will

Martin, Willie

Meyers, Fred

Miller, Lizzie

Nichols, Mrs. Hala Payton, D.

Robison, Willie

Rodgers, H. G.

Shannon, Julia

Talbot, H. C. H.

Watts, Halley

Taylor & Clark

GEORGE H. KUNKEL,  
Postmaster.

Buy Fuel in Summer.

Buy fuel in summer and save money and now is the time to place your order for coal and wood. You can get anything you want for cash, in this line from E. B. Sallard, who handles the highest grade of hard coal, both Illinois and Missouri grades and stove coal. Also makes a specialty of wood-sawing. Steam saw will do the work right at your house. E. B. Sallard, coal and wood yard. Phone 222, South Calhoun street. 21 till Nov. 1. d2

Card of Thanks.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Miller and Mr. Ed Newcomb desire to express thanks and gratitude to dutiful and ever faithful nurses, besides loving friends and neighbors, who came from far and near to comfort, offering every sympathy in the illness and death of their dear mother, Mrs. M. J. Craffon.

Piano Sale.

Commencing Saturday, August 12, I will offer for three days only, some of the greatest bargains ever offered in pianos, pianolas and organs. These goods must be sold. Remember the dates, Aug. 12, 14 and 16, and don't forget the place, Burhop's Music Store. C. J. CHAFFER, w1-d1

High Wind Sunday Morning.

A severe thunder storm accompanied by a high wind and rain struck this city about five o'clock Sunday morning. Many trees and chimneys were damaged and J. J. McCullough lost a fine cow. The animal was on pasture in the east part of town, and was killed by lightning.

Spool Academy.

Private school, Sept. 5. Regular or special course. Progress guaranteed. Special rates taken. Business and commercial courses for county certificate. Voice culture. Piano best methods. Approved work. Very successful last year. Limited number. Enlarge place now. A2-w5-A29-d4

In Merchandise Business at Thompson.

J. E. Jesse, formerly collector of Audrain county has bought out Bob Brown at Thompson and will conduct a General Merchandise store at that place. Mr. Jesse's many friends in this city wish him success in his new enterprise.

Whitney Carnival Company at Fulton.

Fulton has practically closed a contract with the Whitney Carnival Company which will be held the last week in September. This is the same company that was at Centralia last week.

Business for Sale.

Clean stock of furniture, hardware and stoves best location in Mexico, will invoice. Address "B" Lexington office or 113 Washington street, Mexico Mo.

John F. Cannon, of St. Louis, was in this city Monday in the interests of Westminster College at Fulton.

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LADIES UNION PRAYER MEETING RESOLUTIONS.

In Regard to Sunday Base Ball—Inquire Stand Taken by Ministers and Other Organizations.

Resolved, That it is the sense of this Ladies Union Prayer Meeting:

1. That the strict observance of the Sabbath is fundamental in the maintenance of the Christian religion, the purity and prosperity of the church, and the security of the principles of our American form of government.

2. That among the most seducing and far reaching violations of the American Sabbath are the Athletic games indulged in on this holy day by our young people.

3. That the base ball games played by our young men in Mexico from Sabbath to Sabbath are demoralizing in their tendency, and ought to be discontinued and opposed by all Christian people.

4. We make our appeal directly to the young men and ask them to consider this passage of Scripture. "Rejoice O, young man in thy youth; and let thy heart cheer thee in the days of thy youth, and walk in the ways of thine heart; and in the sight of thine eyes; but know thou that, for all these things God will bring thee into judgment. Therefore remove sorrow from thy heart, and put away evil from thy flesh."

Sec 11: 9, 10.

Mrs. Lilly Howard Dead.

Mrs. Lilly Howard, aged 18 years, the wife of Martin Howard, of near Youngs Creek died Tuesday afternoon of typhoid fever. Funeral services will be conducted by Rev. Burber, of Moberly, Thursday afternoon and burial made in the Midway burying ground. The deceased had been married but two years and leaves beside her husband, an infant child, and a mother and two brothers, of Ky. She was a Christian woman of kind and gentle nature and greatly beloved by the entire community. The Ledges extends sincere sympathy to the bereaved husband.

Audrain Land Selling.

Rixey & Burch sold George H. Brown, of Audrain Co. the G. W. Infield 240 acre farm, this week for ten thousand dollars. This is a fine farm and sold cheap. Mr. Brown is one of the largest land owners in Audrain Co. Rixey & Burch also sold the Harry Patton farm last week to Hannon Ford of Audrain county for \$45,000 an acre. Audrain dirt is selling and Rixey & Burch are selling it fast.

Hirsh-Miller.

Mr. Allen S. Hirsh and Miss Anna Miller were married Monday by Rev. Fadhler J. J. Dillon at the Catholic parsonage. The groom is a prominent commission merchant of St. Louis, well known and very popular here.

The bride is a young woman of many accomplishments, the daughter of Mrs. Anna Miller living north of this city. The Ledges joins their many friends in extending congratulations.

Taken to Asylum.

Mat Mitchell, a negro character about town was adjudged insane Monday, and taken to Fulton to the asylum. His hallucination is, that he owns nearly all of the land in Audrain county and is being robbed of it. He was a familiar sight to business men in town, his favorite haunts being the court house and the banks.

Mrs. Jacob Mayfield Dead.

Mrs. Yappa Mayfield, wife of Jacob Mayfield, died at her home in Fulton Monday afternoon at 4:05 o'clock aged seventy-four years.

The deceased had been ill for several months with complications of disease. She was a sister-in-law of M. Mayfield, of this city.

Blum & Heizer Dissolve Partnership.

The General Merchandise firm of Blum & Heizer on Washington Ave., have dissolved partnership. Mr. Blum will in the future conduct the business in his name.

Mrs. N. J. Newkirk is home after an extended visit with relatives in Sidney and Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Mr. Dr. Johnson and daughter, of Fort Worth, Texas, are the guests of her uncle, G. T. Schieffer, this week.

There will be a phone meeting at Moline Friday evening.

George Perley and family, who have been visiting at G. T. Schieffer's for several weeks, have returned to their home in Fort Worth, Texas.

CHAMP ITEMS.

Correspondence of the Ledger.

CHAMP, Aug. 8.—Rev. Houston left Rev. Bark's appointment at Prairie View Sunday morning and night.

Mr. Loomis visited Mr. Britt and family, near Benton City, Saturday and Sunday.

Those who attended the stock sales in Fulton Monday were: Messrs. Chas. B. Ralph and Geo. Dean, Mr. Goodrich and son, Eliza Harrison, Mr. Cable and son.

Rev. Hill, former pastor of Bethel church, visited C. H. Dean and family the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wales, of Mexico, were the recent guest of Green Gant and wife.

Mr. Foddy finished up the carpenter work on Cedar Grove schoolhouse last week.

Dr. Fritts and wife were in this community Sunday.

Rev. W. J. Warner, of Bridgeville, Ind., who is here the guest of his daughter, Mrs. Roy Cable, will preach

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COUNTY NEWS.

BENTON CITY ITEMS.

Correspondence of the Ledger.

BENTON CITY, Aug. 9.—Mr. and Mrs. John Gay, of St. Louis, formerly of this place, are visiting friends and relatives here.

The ladies of the Christian church took \$10.00 at their ice cream supper Saturday night.

Cecil Ochoa was a visitor in Mexico Sunday.

Albert Harrison is building a new house on his farm south of town.

Mrs. G. W. Russell left Tuesday for Mr. Pleasant Iowa, to spend a few weeks with her parents.

Several of our people attended the picnic at New Florence Saturday.

Mrs. Bob Brown who has been sick for some time is still very low.

MAPLE GROVE ITEMS.

Correspondence of the Ledger.

MAPLE GROVE, Aug. 9.—We had a fierce electrical storm here Sunday morning.

Mrs. Annie Fecht is visiting relatives and friends in St. Louis.

Miss Maggie Dermody, of DeWitt, Iowa, is visiting the O'Toole family here.

Dave Sullivan and Iowa Jim O'Brien are taking in the sights in the northwestern states. They have gone to the harvest fields.

Miss Goldie Emerson recently gave a lawn party, having about one hundred guests in attendance.

Joe Ryan took advantage of the low rates in Kansas City Saturday.

Miss Grace Collins is better, after having a severe case of typhoid fever. Miss Lillie Post has gone to Illinois on a visit.

Thos. O'Toole took in the street fair at Centralia two days last week. Threshing is all the go now in this vicinity. Oats will make from 20 to 40 bushels per bushel. Corn is very promising.

LONG BRANCH ITEMS.

Correspondence of the Ledger.

LONG BRANCH, Aug. 9.—Dr. and Mrs. Duncan are on the sick list.

Mr. Presley Goodnight, of Saint Joseph, is visiting relatives here.

John Gorrell and wife are visiting relatives in Southwest Missouri.

Mrs. Wade Wood returned to her home in Calwood Monday.

Joe Miller is repairing his house. Miss Lela Lipp, of Paris, is the guest of relatives here.

Miss Orpha Simon, of Oklahoma, is visiting relatives here.

W. D. Miller has sold his farm to his brother, Robert Miller, price paid, \$77, per acre.

Lewis Patterson, of Texas, is visiting friends in this vicinity.

A number from here attended services at Mt. Zion Sunday. The meeting is progressing nicely two additions up-to-date.

Joe Waltz and wife and Jim Gilbert are visiting relatives in the west. They are in the Portland fair before returning.

Mrs. H. C. Berry has returned from a visit to her daughter Mrs. Lipp at Paris.

RUSH HILL ITEMS.

Correspondence of the Ledger.

RUSH HILL, Mo., Aug. 7, 1905.—Dr. Cornett reports a majority of his patients getting better. Not much change in the condition of Mrs. Lon Fox.

Tom Bradley and little son arrived in Audrain from Los Angeles, Cal., last Saturday.

C. E. Casper returned from south Missouri Saturday with 800 head of sheep and 320 head of hogs. He sold one head of hogs to Ed Crooks and one head to Frank Searns at 5c.

Casper & Cunningham now have 1,500 head of sheep on hand.

Miss Lillian Crawford took the train Sunday morning for Hamilton, Mo., where she will spend a couple of months visiting her father, who is a practicing physician in that town.

Three of the girls are with their father now.

Lee Stuart has 250 acres of corn, which is variously estimated to yield from 90 to 250 bushels to the acre, besides about twenty-five wagon loads of large pumpkins to the acre, and of water melons, and the melons are only about half grown, but many of them are as large as salt barrels.

YOUNGS CREEK ITEMS.

Correspondence of the Ledger.

YOUNGS CREEK, Aug. 9.—The Rev. Stewart, of Paris, and Rev. Rice, are conducting a revival meeting at Mt. Zion.

Mr. Jess Kennedy, son and daughter are visiting relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs. Joella Crawford, who has been sick, is better.

Born, August 3, to Martin Howard and wife, a son.

Kentucky this week on a visit.

Prof. Rodgers and wife, of Madison, visited at G. T. Schieffer's last Sunday and attended church at Mt. Zion.

Herschel Davis and family are visiting her brother and sister, Mrs. Asbury and Bud Johnson.

Mrs. Luella Wilson and daughter, Claude and little son, Frank, of Bates county, are visiting with her father, H. W. Beaton.

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